

SHARE THE ROAD FAUQUIER



Fauquier County Parks and Recreation are conducting a pilot “sharrow” program on Aiken Drive. Sharrows are bicycle symbols carefully placed to guide bicyclists to the best place to ride on the road. They also serve as a reminder to drivers to share the road with cyclists. Unlike bicycle lanes, sharrows do not designate a particular part of the street for the exclusive use of bicyclists. They are simply a marking to guide bicyclists to the best place to ride and help motorists expect to see and share the lane with bicyclists. Please provide any feedback regarding this pilot project to Fauquier County Parks and Recreation at 540-422-8550 or alison.bremner@fauquiercounty.gov. For more information on pedestrian and bicycle facilities planned for the County, see the Connections Plan.

Motorists should:

- ✓ Obey all traffic laws, signs and signals
- ✓ Expect to see bicyclists on the street
- ✓ Remember to give bicyclists three feet of space when passing
- ✓ Only honk in emergencies
- ✓ Wait patiently to pass

Bicyclists should:

- ✓ Obey all traffic laws, signs and signals
- ✓ Use the sharrow to guide where you ride within the lane
- ✓ Remember not to ride too close to parked cars
- ✓ Ride single file
- ✓ Use hand signals

